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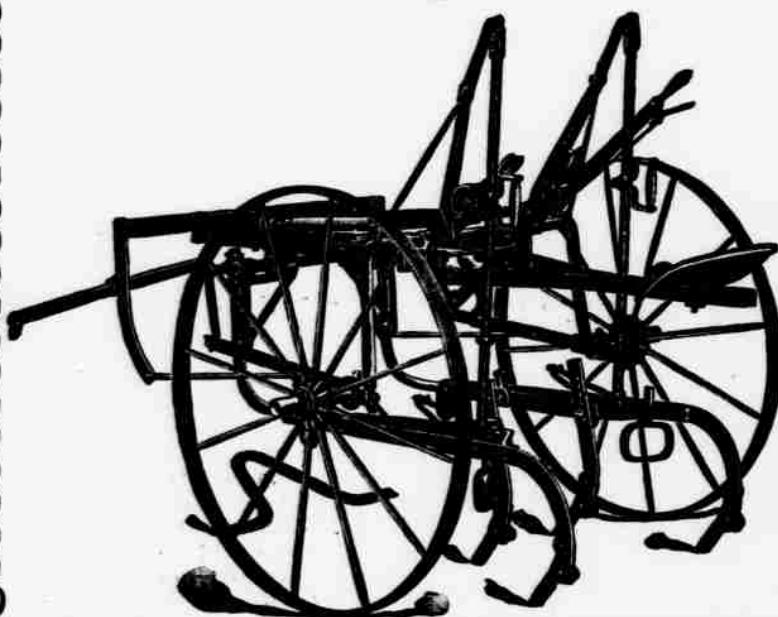
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—Screen Doors at Rulley & Kunkels.

—C. W. King is selling Oregon canned corn for 5c per can.

—How many farmers would like to have the rural mail and the telephone taken away from them? Not many.

—Children's Day exercises will be held at the Union Sunday school, on the evening of Sunday, June 31. A splendid program is in course of preparation.

—Fay Stockings that never come down—fastens to the waist—for ladies and children. We sell them.

FITTS, BUNKER MER. CO.

—Hon. W. H. Sears and son, Will, of Macon, came up to attend our commencement exercises, and to see his nephew, Lloyd Thatcher graduate. We acknowledge a very pleasant call.

—Mother Muxlow, of Omaha, is here for the summer, with her daughter, Mrs. Nellie Morris. She returned with Mrs. Morris, who had been on a visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. Neva Nicholson.

—GIVE US YOUR ORDER FOR A HOME PHONE BEFORE JUNE 1st, in order that your name may be listed in the addition to our directory, which will be issued about that time.

The Oregon and Forest City Telephone Co.
—Miss Myrtle Smith was brought home Monday from Westboro, where she had been confined to her bed for some time. A number of weeks ago she fell from a back going from Tarkio to Rock Port. Nothing serious was thought of it at the time, but later an attack of sensational paralysis seized her and is leaving her in a very poor condition. It is thought by physicians that by good care she will be completely well in a short time.

—The Republicans of Lewis township held their primary Saturday last, and selected T. C. Dungan, S. Carson, A. R. Coburn, P. Schlotzhauer, L. I. Moore, H. M. Dungan, Ivan Blair and William Pennel, as delegates to the Bigelow convention, which convention met on Monday last and selected delegates to the state, judicial and congressional conventions. Lewis I. Moore, T. C. Dungan and B. G. Pierce were chosen as the township committee, and Mr. Moore was made chairman of the township committee.

—For Lawn Mowers, Gasoline Stoves, Refrigerators and Ice Cream Freezers, see Schulte Bros.

—Moore's H. G. Dip by the can or in bulk. Bring in your can.

HINDE DRUG CO.

—Lost—between Oregon and Frank Kieffer's farm a number 3½ ladies' shoe. Finder please leave at the SENTINEL office.

—The "WHITE HOUSE" at \$3.50 for men is a shoe that is guaranteed to give you entire satisfaction. In Box Call and Kid. C. W. KING.

—Miss Olive Carr will teach the Oakland school the coming school year. The patrons and directors will find her a most capable teacher, and one whose whole soul is in her work.

—Louis Tare, of Craig, has been spending the week with his mother in this city and nursing an injured foot the result of stepping on a piece of broken bottle one day last week. His many friends will hope for a speedy recovery from the injury. —Forest City Press.

—Since our issue of last week, we have been told we were mistaken in stating that Mr. Folk's administration was ignored in the resolutions introduced; that on the contrary, the convention endorsed Mr. Folk's administration. We make the correction gladly.

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—Here is something that is worth many dollars to every farmer to know: Sprinkle lime in your stock tank and not a particle of scum will form on the water. When the lime loses its strength scum will begin to form, which may be twice during the season, wash out the tank and repeat the dose. It is cheap, not only harmless but wholesome, keeps the water sweet and saves the live stock.

—Use Lowe Bros "HS" Paint.

—D. M. Lay transacted business in St. Joseph, Tuesday of this week.

—Black Heatherbloom Petticoats at \$2 to \$2.75. Fancy silks at \$5.

FITTS, BUNKER MER. CO.

—Mrs. John Keesee and little daughter, together with Grandma Hill, of Forest City, were St. Joseph visitors, Monday.

—To be strictly "in it" you will need a pair of White Canvas Oxfords. C. W. King has them in all sizes for ladies, misses and children.

—There is a rumor that Wm. Linville, of Oregon, is likely to become a permanent citizen of Wathena, and something more.—Wathena, (Kas.) Republican.

—Anyone needing a small refrigerator will find a bargain by applying at this office. It holds 25 pounds of ice, only used part of one season and will sell for \$5.00 if taken at once.

—"Uncle" Henry Dankers, of Corning, reached his 71st mile post Sunday last, May 20th, and all his children and their children went down and taking along with them an abundant supply of both quartermaster and commissary stores, passed a most delightful day with Pa. May his days be many.

—Oscar K. Asendorf and Ida G. Paten, two of the good young people of the vicinity of Craig were married at the court house on Saturday last. Mr. Asendorf is a son of an old time friend, Albert Asendorf, and THE SENTINEL extends to him and his handsome bride its most hearty congratulations.

—"THE QUEEN B" \$2.25. Without doubt the slickest shoe that was ever sold over a counter, at its price. Neat and tasty in every particular—strong in the soles—soft and pliable in the uppers—well finished a splendid fitter. Your choice of the heavy or light soles. Sizes 2½ to 7. C. W. KING.

—Nothing helps out the social life on the farm as much as a country church. It causes a closer tie than mere neighborhood. Then there comes all sorts of social gatherings as a result of the church relations. Anniversaries, birthdays and other occasions call for people to come together to enjoy themselves.

—Our announcement column this week contains the name of B. F. Morgan, of Oregon, who asks the voters to nominate him for Judge-at-Large. Mr. Morgan is so well known to all our people, that nothing that we might say of him and his fitness would be news to them, for knowing him as they do, they know him to be qualified for the position.

—Katherine King is again in trouble—this time it is her arm. On Tuesday while playing on the roof of the family poultry house, she lost her equilibrium in some way, and "cackled" she came to terra firma, with the result of a broken arm just above the wrist. Dr. Proud did the "fixin'" and she will be deprived of her childish romps for a week or two.

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Fine Gold and Bridge Work a Specialty.

Phones, Old 91, Mutual 43.

—In the coming state election in Missouri two judges of the supreme court will be chosen, one vacancy having occurred by resignation. It is needless to say that these positions are of the highest importance to the proper government of the state and to the welfare of the people. The Republican party has excellent material for the supreme bench and will not lack first-class candidates when it can select such men of character and able lawyers as John Kenish, assistant attorney general, Charles Claffie Allen, and others of the same stamp. The Republicans of Missouri desire the supreme court to be unbiased by politics, and think that one of the best ways to remove the possibility of partisanship is to increase the number of Republican judges. For many years but one of the seven members of the court has been a Republican.—Globe Democrat.

—To many of us here in Old Oregon, there are incidents that come to us that remind us forcibly of the swiftness of time—how rapidly the sands of the glass are passing. A beautiful commencement card reaches us, from Boonville, announcing that Minnie Henrietta Bell is a graduate of the Boonville High School, and that the honor of being the class valedictorian came to her, in a class of 25. The little lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cell. Mrs. Bell was formerly Anna Luckhart, of this city, and it seemed so short a time since she was too was a little school girl here, and in her little pinafores she toddled her way to the old brick school house on yonder hill; and how in 1888 she graduated from our High school—now 18 years has gone by and she looks upon her daughter as a graduate with all the pride of mother's heart, just as Pa and Ma Luckhart looked upon her in her graduation 18 years ago. These incidents remind us how swiftly we are approaching life's sunset. To this sweet, lovable young Miss, THE SENTINEL sends its hearty and sincere congratulations.

—Ladders at Rulley & Kunkels.

—L. I. Moore is at Excelsior Springs for a two weeks' stay.

—Public Administrator Walker has money to loan in sums to suit, long or short term.

—White Linen finished Suits and Costume Lawns, 15c to 25c.

FITTS, BUNKER MER. CO.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Petree and two children were visiting in Coin, Ia., last Sunday. Mrs. Petree has a brother living there.

—Fire, Lightning and Tornado Insurance written by L. I. Moore, agent for Aetna and Phoenix Insurance Companies. Rates right—see him.

—Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords—\$1.50 and \$2.00. Hosiery to match in white 15 to 50c.

FITTS, BUNKER MER. CO.

—If you want to find out "What became of Parker," go to Sterrett's hall, this Friday evening and you'll find out. Admission 15c—any seat in the house.

—J. C. Fitts and family visited in Oregon over Sunday. They had been up to Langdon for a few days' outing, and stopped over enroute home to Kansas City, for a few days' visit with relatives.

—If you are thinking of having a HOME PHONE installed, please give us your order at once, that we may have you listed in the addition to our directory, which will be printed about June 1st.

The Oregon and Forest City Telephone Co.
—Henry DeBolt, who removed to Holt County, Neb., about two years ago, has returned to Holt County, Missouri, and located at the old home place, two-and-a-half miles north of New Point. We extend him a hearty welcome back to his old home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Evans entertained at dinner Sunday for Misses Addie and Jessie Philbrick, Messrs. Wilkins, Spangle and Darnell, all of St. Joseph, were guests at the Evans home. Covers were laid for 12. An elegant 5-course dinner was served.

—Joseph R. Burton, senior, United States Senator from Kansas, must serve nine months in the Ironton (Mo.) jail and pay a fine of \$2,500 for accepting money for unlawful services to the Rialto Grain and Securities Co., directed by the late Maj. Hugh C. Dennis. The United States supreme court so decreed Monday.

—Mrs. Susie Whitman, of Oak Grove neighborhood, was visiting home folks and attending the commencement exercises last week. She was accompanied home by her little daughter Esther, who has been staying with her Grandma Maple to finish her school work for the remainder of the term; also her sister Flora Maple is enjoying a visit with her and family in their country home.

—Our rural letter carriers are to be congratulated on securing such speakers as F. M. Filson, of Cameron; C. F. Booher, of Savannah, and Ivan Blair, of this city, and O. M. Gilmer, of Maitland, for their annual meeting at Forest City, on Wednesday next, May 30th. Mr. Filson is one of the best posted men on the rural free delivery subject in the west, and his name has been mentioned in connection with the national superintendency of this branch of our postal service. He is not only posted on the subject, but he is an eloquent and forceful speaker. Messrs. Booher, Gilmer and Blair are so well known as able speakers, that further comment is unnecessary.

—The eastern and southern states will probably entertain the seventeen year locusts again this year, and to those who remember some of the previous appearances of this pest the encouragement brings unpleasant thoughts. When the locusts appear they usually overrun the whole country side, and do great damage to crops of all kinds. They come in clouds—there is no other word to fitly describe their numbers—of millions and millions, and there seems to be no way to stop their ravages. They destroy until they die naturally or are killed off by the weather. The bureau of entomology at Washington has issued a circular throughout the country warning the farmers that the locust hordes are expected in the following states: Massachusetts, Delaware, New Jersey, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Virginia, the Carolinas, Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee. The pests will begin to make their appearance by the last week of May.

—A Washington correspondent mentions a forthcoming bulletin from the agricultural department, written by L. C. Corbett, the horticulturist, on the subject of lawns. The subject should appeal to every farmer and to everyone controlling a spot about his residence large enough to be dignified with the name of lawn or yard. The lawn should be beautified. It should be beautified with blue grass, well cultivated and mowed at proper periods; it should be ornamented and made convenient with well defined walks and with shrubbery of such variety as will add to its beauty and picturesqueness. The lawn is an index to the man. It is an index to his business methods, to his taste for what is neat, attractive and beautiful. It is an index in a measure to his capacity as a farmer. The influence of a good lawn is effective in the extension of lawn methods to the fields, to the road sides and to the pastures. Neatness and system are contagious and the tendency is to an evolution in all right directions.

—The boys will ride June 16th

—Paroid Roofing at Rulley & Kunkels
—Mrs. Edna Chesney, of near Forest City, is very sick.

—Mrs. Fred Kurtz is very sick with some stomach trouble.

—Miss Edith Dungan, is visiting in Columbia, the guest of her numerous friends in that city.

—Abe Laucks and family, of Upper Holt, were in Oregon over Sunday, the guests of relatives.

—The boys under 16 years of age will ride for a premium, June 16th. Get a move on you, kids.

—Arrangements are about complete for the due observance of Memorial Sunday and Memorial Day.

—R. W. (Wils.) Kennedy, who has been working in St. Joseph, for several weeks, returned home this week.

—Charles Peret, of Fullerton, Neb., was here for a couple of days the past week, visiting with his family.

—Marvey Reel wants to sell his Columbia talking machine with a dozen records. Can be had at a bargain.

—Mrs. Lora Polley and children, of St. Joseph, were visiting relatives and friends in Oregon over last Sunday.

—Bert Dreher and family were entertained by W. L. Whitham and wife, in the Oak Grove district, last Sunday.

—Remember our Dress Goods. We have the largest assortment in town. Wash goods 5 to 50.

FITTS, BUNKER MER. CO.

—The "Seven Bros." Brick Co., A. H. Greene, generalissimo, are getting ready to start up their yards, and Ab say that our people may soon expect rain.

—Ask to see our yard wide Black Taffeta, and Peau De Soie at \$1 and \$1.25 per yard.

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—Miss Edith Kunkel, of Annadarko, Okla., arrived here, Tuesday of this week, and will visit here, this summer, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alice Proud.

—Novelty Dress Goods for shirt waists and suits—the largest line ever shown by us at 25c.

FITTS, BUNKER MER. CO.

—Mrs. G. F. Barnee and Mrs. Mary Chapman, after several days visit with their mother, Mrs. T. Spoerle, returned to their home in St. Joseph, on Tuesday of this week.

—The Oregon High School class will present the play of the "Growler," in Fillmore, Saturday evening of this week, May 26th. They are splendid amateurs and every way deserving of a crowded house.

—The Misses Ada and Jessie Philbrick came up for Commencement exercises, Miss Ada remaining over Sunday, returning home Monday, and Miss Jesse is still here, the guest of Miss Mary Zook.

—Miss Effie Eneyart, who is the principal of the Browning, Mo., schools, has been home for a few weeks, and will leave next week for Kirksville, where she will attend the State Normal summer school.

—Philip Schlotzhauer, one of the successful farmers and business men of Southern Holt, announces this week as a candidate for district judge. He was born and raised in this section of our county, and is known to almost every citizen as a man of splendid business ability. He has all the requisite qualities that enter into the make up of a county court judge. There can be no question as to Mr. Schlotzhauer's fitness for the position and should he receive the nomination, he should be elected by 500 majority.

—J. C. Brooks, 63 years old, killed himself at Savannah, Monday, May 21st, by firing a shotgun with his cane. The aged man went to the city park about 3 o'clock and made all preparations to die. A shot was heard by a train crew in the neighborhood, and, upon investigation, they found the old man dead. The entire upper portion of his head was blown off. He had seated himself on a bench, and, steadying the shotgun, he pulled trigger with his cane. Mr. Brooks was twice circuit clerk of Andrew county. He was a cripple, having lost a leg many years ago. He leaves a wife, a daughter and a brother, all living near Savannah. The old man is said to have been despondent for some time past.

—Emil Martie acted as host at a charming red and white supper given at his home Thursday evening of last week, complimentary to a few of his friends in the graduating class, the class colors being carried out remarkably well. In the center of the white damask table cloth resting on a white center piece was a large bouquet of red and white flowers. At each place a bunch of red and white Carnations, the class flowers were placed. On the table were salads, radishes, marguerites, deviled eggs in red and white. The supper was brought in on plates and served to each guest. The ices and cakes were in the class colors as also were mints. Those who enjoyed Emil's hospitality and that of his parents were Misses Lottie Williams and Laura Bullock, of Forest City; Myrtle Fuhrman, Don Hunt and Lillian Price.

SOME NICE PLAIN CAKES.

These Are Easy to Make and to Bake and of the Toothsome, Wholesome Sort.

I am giving this week some recipes for really "plain cakes"; this means that they are easily and quickly made and baked, and not very great quantities of butter and eggs, the two most expensive articles, in any of them.

The "one, two, three cake" takes its name from the proportions: One cup of butter, two of sugar and three of flour; half a cup of butter will answer the purpose, and four eggs are to be used. In making this cake the sugar and butter and eggs may be all beaten together; the flour and the cup of milk, added alternately; two teaspoonfuls of baking powder added the last thing and the juice of a lemon for flavoring. If baked in gem pans and iced all over these make dainty "snow balls."

Then there is the ginger bread without butter or eggs; this should be welcomed by the mother of a family of little ones for whom she wants to provide a toothsome plain cake that will neither be expensive nor troublesome. Measure a heaping tablespoonful of best lard, a cup of molasses, and two teaspoonfuls of ground ginger, and put them on to heat in a small saucepan; when the lard melts beat all together well for ten minutes and add a teaspoonful of baking soda dissolved in a cup of sour milk; mix this into enough flour to make a stiff batter; the best way to do this is to sift some flour into a bowl and in another bowl put a cupful, to which the molasses, etc., can be easily added; then mix in more flour until the right consistency is reached; the batter should be rather stiff and the beating should be well done. Grease a dripping pan and pour in the batter; it will take about ten minutes in a quick oven. Do not use a short, deep pan; it is better to bake it in one that is long and shallow. Try if it be done by using a straw from the broom.

A nice plain cake may be made with dried apples; soak a cup of dried apples in cold water over night; in the morning drain as dry as possible and chop fine; put them in a saucepan with three-quarters of a pint of thick molasses; add a half tablespoonful each of ground cinnamon and mace, and when the whole comes to a boil set where it will simmer gently 15 minutes, stirring occasionally. Stir together half a cup of butter and a cup of light brown sugar, and when the molasses compound has cooled stir into it with the yolk of an egg a cup of sifted flour, or perhaps a little more; beat well and add two teaspoonfuls baking soda that has been dissolved in a few drops of boiling water and beat hard again.

Have half a cup of stoned raisins rolled in flour, and after beating in the soda stir them lightly into the batter with a pinch of salt and the juice of half a lemon. This cake may be baked in small loaves or in one large one, and the pan should be well greased and papered. The oven should be even; if too hot the cake will crack and be heavy. Test before taking it out of the oven. This sounds troublesome, but is not really so.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

For brittle finger nails anoint the nails at the roots every night with vaseline, or dip them in warm sweet oil. This will make them grow better, and they will not split.

The loofahs, or dried vegetable sponges which one buys at the druggist's for a small sum, make excellent wash cloths. With a sharp pair of shears cut the loofah in two crosswise, and again through the middle. The outer surface is smoother than the inner, but some people like a rough face cloth. The little sponges are good also to wash fine glass and china.

A delicious and cooling lotion for the sick room is aromatic vinegar, which is made as follows: Put a handful of rosemary, wormwood, lavender, rue, sage and mint into a stone jar, cover with a gallon of strong vinegar, cover closely and keep near a fire for four days. Then strain.

White and light gray fur, if it is said, may be beautifully cleaned by rubbing well with equal parts of flour and fine salt. Shake well, as it is undesirable that any of the mixture should remain in the fur.

An ingenious woman suggests that a soft brush, such as is used in varnishing, is good for brushing bread, rolls and pastry with melted butter. If a string is put through the handle and the brush is hung in a regular place so much the better.

Paprika, by the way, is as ornamental as it is useful. Almost any vegetable with cream or white sauce is made doubly attractive when sprinkled liberally with the sweet red pepper.

Hot milk, heated to as high a temperature as it can be drunk, is a most refreshing stimulant in cases of cold or overfatigue.

The woman with dull eyes should never wear diamonds near the face. Pearls soften the face more than any other jewels. Amethysts and sapphires and such highly-colored gems should not be worn with red.

A good idea, particularly in the winter time, when the washing of windows is always unpleasant work, is to frequently wipe off the inside of the glass with a dry cloth. It is surprising to find how much dust and dirt can be removed. In washing the windows if a little washing soda and a tablespoonful of alcohol are added to each pail of water the glass will be much brighter, and, of course, every one knows that newspapers make the best window polishers.—Boston Budget and Beacon.